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Sir:

An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with Form PTO-1449 was filed in the above-captioned patent application on June 28, 2010. A Request for Acknowledgement of Consideration of Disclosed Information was filed on July 30, 2010. A copy of the Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and stamped PTO receipt is attached. On August 23, 2010, Examiner To telephoned Applicants' undersigned representative. A summary of the substance of the conversation follows. Examiner To indicated that he could not consider the foreign references cited in the June 28, 2010 IDS because the Examiner does not have copies of the references. Thus, copies of the references are attached. As indicated by the attached copy of the June 28, 2010 PTO Date-stamped receipt, copies of the references were previously provided by Applicants with the June 28, 2010 IDS. The PTO acknowledged receipt of all of the references. Applicants request that the Examiner consider the information contained in the IDS and Form PTO-1449, and initial the Form PTO-1449 to acknowledge the fact that the Examiner has considered the cited disclosed information.

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Should there be any questions concerning this communication, please telephone the undersigned at the number set forth below.

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June 28, 2010 Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and the references (2) cited therein June 28, 2010 Stamped PTO Receipt

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